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SUBJECT: 1975 RECONVENING OF CONFERENCE OF THE COMMITTEE  
ON DISARMAMENT (CCD)

REF: STATE 277630 (NOTAL)

1. USSR EMB FIRST SECRETARY KOKOREV CALLED ON ACDA  
OFFICER DEC. 20 TO REPORT MOSCOW "HAD NO OBJECTION TO US  
COUNTER-PROPOSAL" OF MARCH 4 OPENING DATE FOR CCD 1975  
SPRING SESSION. (SOVIETS HAD PROPOSED FEB. 18; US SUG-  
GESTED SOMEWHAT LATER DATE TO AVOID ANY POSSIBLE CONFLICT  
WITH NPT REVIEW CONFERENCE PREPARATORY COMMITTEE SCHEDULED  
FEB. 3-14 BUT WHICH MIGHT HAVE TO BE PROLONGED BY FEW  
DAYS.) (REFTEL). KOKOREV SAID THAT IN DISCUSSING MATTER  
WITH OTHER CCD MEMBERS, SOVIETS PROPOSED TO FOLLOW CUS-  
TOMARY CO-CHAIRMAN'S PRACTICE UNDER WHICH EACH CONSULTS  
OWN ALLIES IN CCD AND BOTH CONSULT CCD NON-ALIGNED.  
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SOVIETS EXPECTED TO INITIATE SUCH CONSULTATION EXPEDI-  
TIOUSLY WITH VIEW TO REACHING EARLY AGREEMENT ON MARCH 4  
CONVENING DATE. ACDA OFFICER SAID THIS APPROACH SEEMED  
APPROPRIATE.

2. FOR CCD ALLY CAPITALS, CCD NON-ALIGNED CAPITALS AND  
BUCHAREST: YOU SHOULD PROMPTLY INFORM FONOFFS THAT US

AND USSR, AS CCD CO-CHAIRMEN, HAVE AGREED TO CONSULT OTHER COMMITTEE MEMBERS SEEKING EARLY AGREEMENT ON MARCH 4 OPENING DATE FOR CCD SPRING SESSION. IF HOST GOVT ASKS RATIONALE FOR THIS TIMING, YOU MAY SAY IT SEEMS MOST OPPORTUNE SPACING BETWEEN NPT REVIEW CONFERENCE PREPCOM AND CONFERENCE ITSELF (SCHEDULED TO MEET MAY 5-30). REPORT HOST GOVT REACTIONS.

3. FOR CCD BLOC COUNTRY CAPITALS: AT YOUR DISCRETION ON OR AFTER DEC. 30 YOU MAY INFORM FONOFFS ALONG ABOVE LINES (WE WISH TO GIVE USSR REASONABLE OPPORTUNITY FOR PRIOR CONSULTATION WITH ITS ALLIES).

4. FOR USUN AND GENEVA: YOU MAY INFORM OTHER MISSIONS AS APPROPRIATE THAT CONSULTATIONS AMONG CCD MEMBERS ARE PROCEEDING IN CAPITALS ON OPENING DATE OF MARCH 4 PROPOSED BY CO-CHAIRMEN.

5. FOR USNATO: YOU MAY INFORM INDIVIDUAL ALLIES INFORMALLY OF PROPOSED OPENING DATE.

6. FOR PARIS: PAST PRACTICE HAS BEEN TO INFORM QUAI OF PROPOSED CCD RESUMPTION DATE, DESPITE FRENCH NON-PARTICIPATION IN CCD. ACCORDINGLY, YOU MAY PROVIDE ABOVE INFORMATION IN RESPONSE TO INQUIRY OR AS OTHERWISE DEEMED APPROPRIATE. SISCO

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